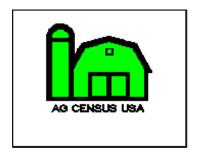
1997 Census of Agriculture County Profile

United States Department of Agriculture Texas Agricultural Statistics Service



BELL TEXAS

Land in farms

Decreased 2 percent from 416,631 acres in 1992 to 406,772 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Decreased 9 percent from 257 acres in 1992 to 234 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 8 percent from 688 farms in 1992 to 633 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 51 percent to \$51,485,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 36 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 64 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 41 percent from \$21,012 in 1992 to \$29,572 in 1997.

